

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1 and 2, without prejudice, and add new claims 3 and 4 as follows.

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Claim 3. (New) A connector adapter for coupling to a connector plug, wherein said connector plug is provided with a memory function unit capable of performing operations of writing in and reading out necessary information, from an outside source by wireless transmission, and wherein said connector adapter comprises:

an antenna for reading out control information from said memory function unit by wireless transmission when said connector plug is coupled to said connector adapter; and

a detector switch for initiating said wireless transmission when said connector plug is coupled to said connector adapter, said detector switch being located on or near said connector adapter.

Claim 4. (New) A connector adapter for coupling to a connector plug according to claim 1, wherein the detector switch is mounted on the connector adapter.